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The "Standard" Delinquent for October comes from the press with additional attractiveness. It is impossible to bestow adequate praise upon the colored plates which are found at the opening of the magazine; they are gems of style and finish, and the colored millinery plate is of equal merit. As for the body of the periodical, it is filled to overflowing with good things, which will delight the heart of the housewife and other women as well. First of all there are over forty new designs for house, street and evening gowns, new style jackets and sleeve and fashion collarettes of the prettiest possible description, for ladies, young girls and children. Following these are articles on new styles in millinery and in the little accessories which add so much to the toilet. Prominent among these latter subjects are "Lingerie," "Bridal Costumes" and "Collars and Vests." A helpful discussion of the "Dress and Duties of Servants" is nicely illustrated, and in "Fancy Work" some beautiful models for drawn work are shown and full directions for making them are given. For the children there is a charming fairy-tale and an illustrated article on Japanese little people. In conclusion there are stories, book reviews, essays on "Hypnotism," "Thorughness," "Cookery" (including tried recipes), etc. All in all, this is certainly an ideal ladies' magazine, and, considering, in addition, the extremely low price, it should find its way into every home.

September Eclectic.

The leading article of the September Eclectic is "The Origin of Man and the Religious Sentiment," and comes from the liberal thinker and poet, Professor Pogorzelski. Following this is a long list of papers the title of which indicates their great variety of subject-matter. In "The Conservative Programme of Social Reform," John Gorst suggests many of the chief improvements which might be made in the home government of the people in England—ideas which are applicable in general to any other country. Mr. J. E. R. Stephens gives a short history of "The Origin and Growth of Trial by Jury in England," and there is an interesting account of "The Present Condition of Muhammadan Women in Turkey," by Mr. Richard Davey. Mr. Richardson Evans is emphatic in his denunciation of "Advertising as a Trade on the Public." Mr. H. D. Trell contrasts the rights and relations of author and publisher now, with those of the time of Dr. Johnson. The sketch purports to come from good old Rowell and is entitled "The Revolution in Grub Street." A great proportion of the papers are in lighter vein. Vernon Lee's sketch "Old Italian Gardens," is delightful. There are three stories of merit in this number, which contains twenty-one articles in all. Published by E. R. Feltz, 144 Eighth Street, New York. Terms, 50c per year; single number 4c; trial subscription for 3 months, 1c. Eclectic and any 4c Magazine, 8c.

BENTON TOWNSHIP.

The Earlier History to this Important Township - the Earlier Settlers, Etc.

Benton township was reduced to its present limits on the 17th of June 1874 by an act of the county court, at that time composed of Geo. P. Steele, Rich. Collier and George Anderson. It is the largest municipal division of the county, including some fifty entire sections. An area of sixteen square miles of this township is included in the bottom. It is watered by Kinsey Creek, Hughes Creek, Davis Creek, Little Tarkio, and Squaw Creek. The township originally was created on Aug. 9, 1812.

The first white man said to have made his home in this township, was John U. Blair, who hailed from Bloomer. He located on 20, 61, 38 on April 12, 1839. He was soon followed by George Blair, J. U. died in 1849 while on his way to California. George also died years ago while a member of the county court.

James and Uriah were sons of Jno N. and for some time resided on the old original farm 3 miles south of Mound City. The following fall Jeremiah and Daniel Baldwin, also from Indiana, located in the Blair neighborhood. John Hughes, of Illinois, followed, and settled on what is now known as the Wash Hutton farm, in 28, 61, 38. Then came Will, John and Henry Holloway from Indiana, in 1840. During the same year John Hughes, Sr., settled the Kinsey farm. Late in the spring of 1840, Judge Kinsey purchased the improvements made by Jno Hughes Jr., and occupied the place until 1846 when he left for the west, going to Oregon. Judge Kinsey was at one time a member of the county bench, this was in 1842-5. He was the first blacksmith to have worked at his trade in the township. His shop in 1840 stood in the 21, 61, 38, two miles east and four south of Mound City. He also worked at Jackson's Point. The original Kinsey farm was in 21, 22, and later owned by Samuel Glick. In 1840 J. Baldwin settled the place afterwards known as the Moser farm. Jno. Benson settled the farm afterwards owned by Strother Moore. Benson was killed in California in 1841. C. F. Farmer in 1841 settled the place now known as the Jonathan Anders farm. Wm. Mobly, a native of Maine settled about half a mile north of Mound City. He died in the state of Oregon. John Clinger and the widow Glick also settled there the same year. William Walker also came that year. He had a peculiar facility of obtaining hogs under peculiar circumstances, and was dubbed "Hog Walker." John Walker or "Cow Walker" because he was always on the hunt of a stray cow or heifer, came at the same time. Then followed Jacob Mosher, Andrew McCoy, the Washams, Andrew Meyer, Wm. Judy, who all came in 1842-3. Levi Dodge was also among the noted settlers of the township, locating there in 1850 on 25, 62, 39. Up to 1853 the settlers eastward of the Nodaway river and those of Benton township, were as ignorant of each other as though the Pacific divided them. Levi Dodge was the first to make tracks across the territory, and the course he marked out then became the regular beaten road.

The Ed. Gillis farm north of Mound City was opened up in 1848 by Wm. Marshall. A man named Davis was among the first to settle on Davis Creek, hence its name. In 1841, David Washam also settled on this stream south and east of Mound City. In 1840 a man named Thos. Ferguson settled at the south fork of Davis Creek, on 6, 61, 38. Here he built a double log cabin for the entertainment of the weary traveler. He purchased this from the party for whom Davis Creek was named. In 1844 or 5 this place was taken by A. P. Jackson, and for years the place was called Jackson's Point. It became a stage station on the great stage line that carried the mail between St. Joseph and Council Bluffs, at that time called Kansasville. This stage line was originally started by a company of Mormons who afterwards sold out to Frost, the great overland mail contractor. The first post office of the township, was established at the Point in 1844. In 1855, the post office was moved across Davis Creek to Galen Crow's store, which stood on the site of what is now known as Mound City, and the postoffice named North Point. In 1853 Jackson, sold to Wm. F. Jones and moved to California. H. S. Basic purchased the place in 1863, and in 1870 the place passed into the hands of Jacob Grobeck.

The first school of the township was taught by John Collins in 1844, in a house a mile and a half northwest of Mound City, on a farm settled by Edward Dodge, father of Levi Dodge.

Rev. E. M. Marvin, afterward Bishop of the M. E. church, was the first to preach the Gospel in the township. His first sermon was preached at the home of J. U. Blair, below Mound City. Green B. Thorne, Hard Shell Baptist, was the second one to preach in the township. He was also the first to practice medicine in the township.

The first house to stand on the site of the town of Mound City, was a log cabin in which was run a blacksmithshop by E. P. Forbes; this was in 1852, and it stood on the east boundary of the town. Forbes therefore had the distinction of being the first blacksmith of the place. In 1853 Galen Crow put up a building in which he opened up a stock of goods, and stood on the lot where stands the rear of the Hamsher building, in the second story of which the Masons held their meetings. The postoffice was known as North Point from 1855 to April 1, 1872, when its name was changed to Mound City. Crow disposed of his store shortly after starting to Moberg, Gaines, Strickler & Co., who continued the business until May 1857, when they closed out, and Galen Crow put up another building and returned to merchandising in company with Wm. F. Jones, his brother-in-law under the firm name of Crow & Jones. This store stood on the west side of State street, a few doors north of Main. The Mound City company was in incorporated by an act of the General Assembly, February 17, 1857; the property on which a town had been set out having previously passed into the hands of W. F. Jones, a merchant of Oregon, and was on the north side of Davis Creek. The original town company as organized, consisting of Wm. F. Jones, Galen Crow, Ira Peter, Geo. E.



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Glass, John Burnett, H. W. Peter and B. B. Frazer; were all Oregon men excepting Crow and Jones. On the 22d of May 1857, this company met for the first time and elected Galen Crow president and Geo. Glass, secretary.

The Jno. Burnett mentioned in the act of incorporation was a son of Roland Burnett, of this city, and who died soon after the incorporation. He and Glass were the successors of Capt. I. T. Whyte in the old building that stood where the drug house of J. C. Philbrick now stands. North Point was laid out by Wm. F. Strickler, October 31, 1856. Mound City was laid out May 23, 1857. Of the incorporators above mentioned, Wm. F. Jones, John Burnett, George Glass and Dr. Peter are dead; while the only survivors are Ira Peter of this city and B. B. Frazer, of Dr. Joseph, and Galen Crow, of Austin, Texas. Judge Samuel Watson, of this city, was the representative in the legislature at the time of the passage of the act incorporating "The Mound City company."

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Fiction and travel are the strong points of the September Cosmopolitan, which, by the way illustrates better than any previous number the perfection of its plant for printing a magazine of the highest class. Conan Doyle, H. H. Boyesen, and Clark Russell are among the story-tellers. A well known New York lawyer relates the story of "A Famous Crime" - the murder of Doctor Parkman by Professor Webster. A delightful sketch of "An English Country House Party" is from the pen of Nina Larré Smith - the house at which she visited being no less than the historic Abbotford, still occupied by the direct descendants of Sir Walter Scott. "The Realm of the Wonderful" is descriptive of the strange forms of life discovered by science in the ocean's depths, and is superbly illustrated by a surprising and unrelaxing way by the author, who is a member of the Smithsonian staff. An article on Cuba is timely. Without bothering the reader with unnecessary description of the famous yacht's now so much talked of. The Cosmopolitan presents four full page illustrations showing these noted boats. Thomas Moran again contributes a series of the most exquisite landscapes of western scenery, twelve in number, illustrating an article by Col. John A. Cockerill, on "Modern Utah." And it may be said that no more beautiful illustration of the "The Cosmopolitan has ever been given to the public.

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The ninth installment of the "Personal History of the Second Empire," by Albert D. Vandam, author of "An Englishman in Paris," appears in the North American Review for September and October.

Afraid of Pneumonia.

Mrs. Catherine Black, of Le Roy, N. Y., took a severe cold. The physician feared Pneumonia. She took one bottle of Parke's Cough Syrup and says: "It acted like magic. Stopped my cough and I am perfectly well now. I recommend it to everyone for Cough and Lung Trouble as I believe it saved my life." Said by Clark O. Proud.

Early autumn fashions will be represented very fully in the number of Harper's Bazar to appear September 7th. A practical article on "Every Day Physical Culture" will find many interested readers among women.

Severe gripping pains of the stomach and bowels instantly and effectually stopped by DeWitt's Colic and Cholera Cure. Sold by T. S. Hinde, Oregon, Mo.

LOOKING BACKWARD.

What the Sentinel Files Will Call to Your Mind if You Will Read Them.

SEPTEMBER 1882. Dennis Watson was sent to the pen for two years for horse stealing, on the 8th.

George Baldwin was married on the 8th.

On the 22, Judge Kelley sustains in junction petition, and treasurer was re-elected on paying the court house warrants.

Mrs. Kennish was thrown from a wagon on the 14th, and had one of her legs broken.

Ed. L. Hart, of Matland, was married on the 13th.

On the 21, William Culp died suddenly while fishing at Clear Lake.

Charley Taylor was accidentally shot in the arm on the 29th, by the accidental discharge of a pistol in the hands of Jno Douglas.

SEPTEMBER 1883. Jas. E. Cummings was married on the 14th.

Wallace Guyatt was sentenced to the pen for 3 years for burglary.

SEPTEMBER 1884. John Hussess retired from the Holt County Press.

The residence of Maggie Brownlee in this city was struck by lightning on the 7th.

On the 14 A. N. Stephens was shot by A. J. Sutton, as the outgrowth of the opening a certain road.

On the 24th Esq. Hugreffe slipped and fell on the depot platform at Craig, and dislocated his hip.

Isaac Dillen, age 12, was killed on the 22d, by being thrown from a wagon.

Lat. H. Edwards died on the 23rd aged 61.

Charley Cochran was married on the 2d.

J. P. Baldwin and Howard Hatfield were arrested on the 17th for stealing a horse from Shufeldt Bros.

SEPTEMBER 1885. Clark Armstrong was arrested on the charge of stealing a horse from James Mitchell, of Mound City on the 5th.

W. S. Canon was married on the 10th. Otho Casle died on the 15th.

Mrs. Jno. Hodgins died on the 15th; aged 51.

Howard Sheets died on the 22d.

Sneak thieves entered the residence of Holt Van Hook, on the 25th, and stole several articles of small value, and masked up dishes etc.

SEPTEMBER 1886. Mrs. Will Hiett died on the 4th aged 26.

Brad Bakins in attempting to board a freight train at Matland on the 10th, fell under the wheels and was killed.

Charley C. Moore was married on the 15th.

SEPTEMBER 1887. Mrs. Sam. Randall died on the 16th.

On the 15th Lincoln Bucher had his leg broken by a load of hay running over it.

A. Wait - a girl, was left on the door step at the residence of Dr. Goslin on the morning of the 21st.

Uncle Jno. Hodgins was married on the 20th.

SEPTEMBER 1888. On the 8th a large portion of the business part of Mound City was destroyed by fire; the fire originated in the millinery store of Miss Mary Wade - loss about \$20,000.

Fire destroyed the Dan Hardman's separator, on the 17th, and eight fine stalks of grain for Rev. Price.

Ella (Bridges) Copeland died in Hia watha, Kas., on the 19th.

The store of V. L. Graham at New Point was broken into on the night of 28th, and the burglar was chased from the store by Mr. Graham and Dr. Findley; in the chase he was shot in the leg; was arrested; gave his name as Geo. Marshall; he escaped from jail October 31st.

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being twisted up in knots. I was unable to do any work, except with assistance, and could not hobble about by using a cane. I had no appetite, and was assured, by the doctors, that I had little chance of recovery. I began to take Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Inside of two months, I was able to walk without a cane. In three months, my limbs began to strengthen, and in the course of a year, I was cured. My weight has increased to 145 pounds, and I am now able to do my full day's work as a railroad blacksmith."

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